NURSING BOARD[655]

Notice of Termination

Pursuant to the authority of Iowa Code sections 17A.3 and 147.76, the Board of Nursing terminates the rule making initiated by its Notice of Intended Action published in the Iowa Administrative Bulletin on July 30, 2008, as **ARC 7009B**, which proposed amendments to Chapter 6, "Nursing Practice for Registered Nurses/Licensed Practical Nurses," Iowa Administrative Code.

The Notice proposed to amend Chapter 6 by adding subrules prohibiting a registered nurse (RN) and an advanced registered nurse practitioner (ARNP), with the exception of a certified registered nurse anesthetist (CRNA), from administering anesthetic agents, e.g., Propofol, Brevitol, Ketamine and Etomidate, during any operative, invasive or diagnostic procedure in any type of setting. These proposed amendments set forth the exceptions and requirements which allow an RN and an ARNP to administer anesthetic agents.

The Board is terminating the rule making commenced in ARC 7009B because public comment provided additional information.

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